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NO GENERAL BATTLE

DURING THE NEGOTIATIONS

The Armies in Manchuria Will Remain Inactive While the Diplomatic War With Words

Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 15.—It seems to be taken for granted among the attaches of both Japanese and Russian missions that there will be no general battle in Manchuria while peace negotiations are on. Oyama is known to be prepared to strike the moment they fall and there may be more or less skirmishing and outpost engagements while the troops are getting in position, but it is admitted on each side that if either Oyama or Linvitch should deliberately bring on a general engagement which might cost 50,000 or 100,000 lives his country would be accused of bad faith in the negotiations here and would lose prestige in the eyes of the world.

YESTERDAY'S SESSION.

Portsmouth, Aug. 14.—Although rapid progress was made with the peace negotiations today three of the twelve articles which constitute the Japanese conditions of peace having been agreed to by M. Witte and Baron Rosen on behalf of Russia, neither of the two articles to which M. Witte in his reply returned an absolute negative was reached. The crisis, therefore is still to come. It may be reached tomorrow, as the session of Sakhalin comes fifth in the list. In the meantime Russia has agreed to the supremacy of Japanese influence in Korea and to handing over the Harbin-Port Arthur railway.

RUSSIA'S HOPE.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 15.—Practically the only hope, entertained in high Russian official quarters for a peace agreement at Portsmouth lies in the expectation that Japan will concede materially from the terms as published.

WATER FAMINE IN THE YUKON

Victoria, Aug. 15.—Letters from the heart of the Yukon bring depressing accounts of a water famine which confronts the northern gold camp, threatening to prevent the washing up of more than two-thirds of the pay dirt that has been got together on the dumps during the past mining season.

ANOTHER VICTIM

Winnipeg, Aug. 15.—Saturday's gun powder explosion has resulted in another fatality. Carl Kerr, 15 years old died yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the general hospital.

PERSONAL

Mr. A. G. Mowat of Toronto is in the city.

H. J. Saunders returned from Banff yesterday.

Mr. John T. Moore, of Red Deer, is in the city.

Mr. P. Burns of Calgary is in the city on business.

J. D. Hyndman and family returned from Lacombe yesterday.

F. Brandt came up Saturday from Okotoks and returned today.

G. Whitelaw, of Guelph, brother of Dr. Whitelaw, is in the city.

Mr. O. Higman, Government electrician, of Ottawa, is in the city.

Mr. C. A. Stuart, secretary of the Alberta Liberal Association is in the city today.

Mr. W. H. Cushing, of Calgary, of the firm of Cushing Bros., is in the city on business.

P. E. Lessard will return to the city the latter part of the week from a trip to Quebec.

Mr. G. Stonehooker, of Stonehooker Bros., land agents in the Vermilion district, is in town.

Rev. John McDougall, of Calgary, superintendent of Indian missions for the west, is in the city.

Mr. Skinner, of Winnipeg, agent for the Westminster Electric Co., is in the city in connection with the installation of the series arc system of street lighting.

WEATHER.

Maximum	65
Minimum	50
Noon	59
Barometer	29.77

VOTE ON THE BY-LAWS

SIX OUT OF THE SEVEN CARRIED

Exemption of Milling Company from Taxation Defeated by Large Majority—Small Number of Electors Out to Vote.

Six of the seven bylaws voted on yesterday were carried by large majorities. The one providing for \$2,500 to pay for street allowance purchased from the Alberta College, had the largest vote recorded against it, 105 votes being marked against it, but the vote for was over four times that number. The largest favorable vote was for the cement walks, 392 votes being cast for that improvement and 50 against. The smallest negative was against the fire hall bylaw, being only 46, while 560 votes were marked favorable.

The only one defeated was that providing for the exemption from taxes of the Alberta Milling Company. The vote in this case being 230 for and 424 against. This is quite an emphatic pronouncement upon such a bylaw. There were ninety-two votes against the market bylaw and 537 in its favor. The vote against all the bylaws was rather larger than might have been expected and had a public meeting been held for the discussion of the different matters in connection with them the opposition would likely have been less.

The total number of electors recording their votes were 246. This is not a very large number out of a possible 850. The number of voters cast is fairly large, as some citizens had two, three or four votes.

The result of the votes on the different bylaws was as follows: Bylaw No. 23 to provide \$8,000 to pay the city's share of the cement sidewalks on Jasper avenue; for 592, against 50. No. 24, to provide \$30,000 for the purchase of a market site, for 537, against 92. No. 25, to provide \$15,000 for improvements in the electric plant, for 541, against 65. No. 26 to provide for exemption from taxation of the Alberta Milling Company for ten years, for 230, against 424. No. 27 to provide \$3,500 for an isolation hospital building, for 540, against 70. No. 28 to provide \$2,500 for land purchased from the Alberta College for street purposes, for 458, against 105. No. 29 to provide \$6,500 for improvements to the fire fighting apparatus of the city, for 560, against 46.

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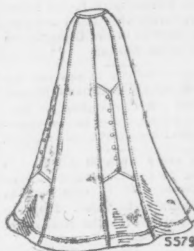
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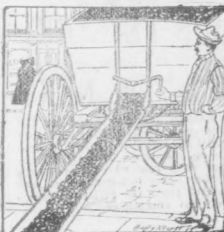
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MAKING RAPID PROGRESS

The fact that the Government has approved of the Grand Trunk Pacific plans for 275 miles of the road west of Portage La Prairie, together with the announcement that a thousand miles of the new road will be located before the end of October, must be rather discouraging to the pessimists who have been continually expressing their fears that the road would never be built just because the rails were not put down the forenoon after the contract was signed.

A national transcontinental railway cannot be located and built in a few months. It takes a little time on the part of the company and patience on the part of the people, and those who are now complaining have had so many lessons in patience, and uncomplaining patient patience at that, in waiting for competing railways in the West, that this eagerness for another line is a new role for them to play, and they play it badly.

The Government commission will shortly invite tenders for the line between Winnipeg and Fort William, and construction will begin on it at once.

When the line is once finally located, the Grand Trunk Pacific people promise to make a record in railway construction, and if they travel as fast as the C. N. R. is heading for this city at the present time, the people will be satisfied, and Edmonton will soon have real railway connection with the outside world.

YESTERDAY'S VOTING

The voting on the bylaws yesterday shows that the taxpayers of Edmonton are strongly in favor of a progressive policy in local improvements and are quite willing to put up their money for the requirements of the city.

One of the results will be the establishment of a first class market in a very central location. Situated as the city is, in the heart of a rich agricultural country, this is one of the prime necessities, and the citizens did themselves proud by supporting so large a grant as \$30,000 for this purpose by so unanimous a vote.

The bylaw for the expenditure upon the fire hall had the fewest votes recorded against it, and the vote upon the isolation hospital bylaw speaks well for the interest of Edmonton's citizens in the public health of the community.

Not the least significant is the vote on the bylaw to exempt the Alberta Milling Company from taxation. It was defeated by a vote of almost two to one. This was not due to any lack of appreciation of the enterprises of the people who are promoting this industry, but rather from the feeling that in bonusing railways to afford transportation facilities, the city has done about all it can stand in the matter of granting favors, and that for the present, at least, the natural advantages of this city must be the inducement to bring manufacturers and industries to Edmonton, not to secure artificial aid, but to do business here because the location offers the inducement of good profits and advantageous railway facilities.

A DISPLAY OF FARM PRODUCTS

The Bulletin is desirous of making a window display of Alberta farm products for Inauguration Day, September 1st, and will be greatly obliged if friends throughout the country will send or bring to the office samples of grains, grasses, fruits and vegetables grown during the present season. There will be thousands of visitors in Edmonton on Inauguration Day and the opportunity should not be lost to impress upon them the capabilities of Alberta. For a decade the Bulletin has been telling the world about the qualities of Alberta's soil and climate. We would like now to demonstrate in this practical way that our claims have been justified. Samples brought in will be labelled with the name and address of the producer, will be taken care of and returned if so desired. The season will be sufficiently advanced to make possible a display of ripe grains, grasses, fruits and vegetables of all kinds, native and cultivated and we rely upon our friends to co-operate in making this exhibit thoroughly worthy the occasion and representative of the agricultural resources and progressive farmers of the district.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS

There is a boom in the price of farm lands in the vicinity of Moose Jaw.

The question at the Red Deer convention this week is "to be or not to be" R. B. Bennett for leader.

The list of citizens who are preparing to go east for Christmas on the C. N. R. is daily increasing.

Bonuses and exemptions got a body blow yesterday in the defeat of the bylaw to exempt the Alberta Milling Co. from taxes.

Mr. R. L. Borden, leader of the Opposition in the House of Commons, has announced that he will devote all his time to politics.

The Liberal convention at Regina tomorrow promises to rival that of Alberta. Liberalism is very much alive in the two new provinces.

The Eye Opener says it will be independent politically in future owing to the discovery that there are just as many jobsters in the Conservative party as in the Liberal.

The city evidently thinks she has done well by the industries present and future when arranging for that most important thing for manufacturers, good transportation facilities.

Nearly every town in Alberta is preparing to come up to Edmonton on September 1st, to take part in the Inaugural celebration. They are heartily welcome to the freedom of our city that day.

The Western Brewers are making a vigorous protest against the importation of American beer, which they claim is not as pure as the Canadian article. There may be a difference in the beer, but there is no difference in the jags they produce.

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WESTERN NEWS NOTES

—Calgary Herald: Edmonton promises to do Alberta proud on our natal day. Every town in the new province is entitled to attend the ceremonies in force. The broad spirit suggests that, regardless of approaching contests, all local differences be buried for that occasion. The glad hand for September 1 should rule and then—the good fight.

—A Pembina dispatch says: "The Calgary Rough Riders have been put out of business by Uncle Sam. The manager of the aggregation, which is composed of three men and seven of the most reputable horses that ever 'came over the pike,' is apprehensive in the Pembina county jail where he was committed because of his inability to give \$500 bonds for having imported horses without paying duty." The "rough riders" appeared some time since at the Strathcona races.

—The third number of the Canadian Forestry Journal contains a number of interesting articles. "The Art of Forestry" is dealt with by Dr. A. Harold Lowat, a European Forester, and "Diseases of Timber," by Dr. J. H. Paul, of the University of Toronto. "Forest fires in British Columbia in 1904" and "The Poplars" are the titles of popular articles, and plans and descriptions are given of the new timber reserves established in Ontario and Quebec.

—Regina Standard: The wind storms that raged locally last week been out light compared with the havoc wrought up north. During a heavy storm of hail, thunder, lightning and rain on Thursday night last, a stampede of horses, injured and frightened by hail, took place on a farm on the western side of Last Mountain Lake, the sequel being that one man had eleven eastern horses drowned in the lake, into which the frightened animals rushed headlong. Another farmer lost two cows and a calf in a similar manner. Each of these farmers was baited out and not insured.

—Wetaskiwin Times: David Small, of Edmonton, has purchased the merchant tailoring business of F. Urquhart, and takes possession on August 15. Mr. Small comes highly recommended as an excellent workman, having had several years' experience in Edinburgh, Scotland. He has been in Edmonton about fifteen months. Mr. Urquhart has purchased a half interest in one of the leading tailoring establishments in Edmonton, hence his sale here. The citizens regret to lose Mr. Urquhart and his estimable family as during their sojourn here of about a year they have made hosts of friends, who wish them every success in the Capital.

—Regina Leader: When leaving London at the close of the disastrous political campaign in which Premier Balfour and R. B. Bennett participated, the latter announced that he would take the fastest express train for the West and immediately upon his arrival there would start to stir up the people over the school question. After an interval of nearly two months Mr. Bennett has spoken. As a C.P.L. employee, Mr. Bennett should endeavor to give his company a better advertisement than they receive from the fact that, according to the their own selector it takes their fastest express train nearly two months to cross about one-half of the continent. This is worse than what the west complained of two years ago when it took the company from two to three months to deliver eastern shipments in the Territories.

—Conrad Kohrs, the oldest cowboy and one of the richest ranchers of Montana, is in Calgary says the Herald. He is inspecting the ranching and fall wheat districts of Alberta, in company with one of his former employees, George Lane, now one of Alberta's cattle kings. In 1892 Mr. Kohrs, then a poor man started a butcher shop in Deer Lodge, Montana. During the past forty years he has become known throughout the western cattle states, as one of the boldest and most daring operators in the range country. An idea of the magnitude of his business is gathered from the fact that his beef shipments this season will aggregate twice thousand head. Like all the cattle ranchers of his state, Mr. Kohrs has been driven from pillar to post by the sheep man, but that has not prevented him from building up a great fortune.

—The Portage la Prairie Graphic says: "It has been learned on quite reliable sources that the Grand Trunk Pacific will not build a new line through the town. Instead of this they will run within the civic

corporation boundaries on the C. N. R. tracks and will also use the local C. N. R. depot and yards. This is the proposition for the present at any rate, but whether the company will continue to do this in the future is not stated. Starting at a point east of town they will run through on the C. N. R. rails as far as the diamond west of town, where their proposed route strikes out running almost parallel with the C. P. R. tracks. It is even rumored that from Winnipeg to Portage the C. N. R. tracks may be used, but this cannot be verified. As the line strikes west of town it runs through J. Brydon's farm close to his home. The farm is badly cut up by the route. Mr. Brydon has been offered \$100 per acre for six acres of the land desired here."

Private Sale of Household Goods

The household goods of the Teepee Batch will be sold by private sale at their premises, corner of McDougall avenue and Elizabeth street, commencing August 16th at nine a.m.

Among the goods offered will be found the following:
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Kitchen utensils such as frying pans, dripping pans, pie plates, cake tins, butter crocks, etc.
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TENDERS

Tenders for the erection of the Bank of Montreal, Regina, from the ground floor level, will be received up to 5 p.m. 26th August, at the office of W. M. Dodd, Architect, Calgary and Regina, where plans and specifications may be seen and all information obtained.
All tenders to be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, for 5 per cent. of the amount of tender, which will be forfeited should the contractor fail to enter into a satisfactory contract, or should he fail to complete his contract in a satisfactory manner. Cheques will be returned to unsuccessful contractors.
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TWO MEN STABBED

BY ITALIANS IN WINNIPEG.

Loafers Insult Italians Who Resent and Start a Row—Lacrosse Player Wounded.

Winnipeg, Aug. 15.—Pat McClinchey the popular lacrosse player was seriously stabbed by Italians last night in a fight in front of the Wolsley hotel on Higgins avenue. Ben Jamieson also a prominent lacrosse player was likewise injured. McClinchey was stabbed in the left side, the knife or dagger penetrating the left lung. Several men were standing in front of the Wolsley about midnight, when three Italians passed. They said something insulting to the Italians who immediately started to quarrel. The fight was growing interesting when McClinchey and Jamieson arrived on the scene. They immediately took part in the affair. It seems the Italians turned on them, drawing knives. McClinchey was seriously stabbed. He had a wound in the back of the neck, a deep wound on the left side, and another on the leg. Jamieson was also badly slashed on the leg. The Italians are in custody. McClinchey and Jamieson were sent to the hospital.

Prince Albert Wants Car Shops

Prince Albert Advocate: A well attended and enthusiastic meeting of the ratepayers of Prince Albert met in the council chamber, city hall, on Thursday evening last to discuss the proposed grant of \$25,000 to the Canadian Northern Railway in return for the establishment of workshops, etc., at this point, and the making of Prince Albert a distributing centre for merchandise.

Major Cowan called the meeting to order, in a few brief remarks, during which he read a letter from the Secretary-treasurer of Edmonton, denying reports of unfair dealings towards that city by the C. N. R. and stating that the relations between the city and the company were as harmonious as possible. He (the mayor) and Ald. Baker had taken up the matter of making Prince Albert a distributing centre, the establishment of terminals and workshops, etc., with President Mackenzie last spring, in Winnipeg. Also the matter of a union depot with Mr. Mackenzie, and Mr. Nanton, for the C. P. R., out up to the present nothing has been done with this last matter.

The C. N. R. wanted a grant of some 35 acres for its purposes, but as the city had not the land, at a joint meeting of the city council and board of trade, it was decided to offer \$25,000, a petition was circulated for signatures asking the council to submit a bylaw to raise this sum, but as it was not signed it only the present meeting was called.

The mayor then pointed out the cost to the taxpayers. If the loan was for forty years it would mean \$20 per year for each \$1,000 assessed, if 30 years, \$1.11, if 20 years, \$1.25. He would vote for the measure, as he deemed it a wise one, but would leave the ratepayers to judge for themselves. The council had, he understood, been criticised for being extravagant, but as a matter of fact, they had not spent a great deal more than the council of last year, and had done a great deal of work. He called Ald. Bradshaw, who submitted a comparative statement, compiled to June 30th last, in which the figures showed some \$300 only of an increase over last year, leaving out the matter of grants, which were not yet all taken up. This statement was greeted with applause.

The following motion was then made by Mr. T. J. Agnew, seconded by Mr. D. C. McNeilan, and after full discussion, carried.

That the proposition of the C. N. R. be accepted, and that the council be requested to introduce a by-law to provide the sum of \$25,000 as a bonus to the C. N. R., said bonus to be given on the completion of the contract as submitted to the meeting this evening.

Hon. T. H. McGuire thought it would be a great mistake not to give the \$25,000. We would get some returns for our money. He would vote in favor of the grant and he thought the meeting also favored it.

Mr. R. S. Cook thought that if the company gave us a wholesale distributing rate, and would cross the river here, no sane man would vote against it. The making of Regina a distributing centre, has made that city, and doubtless its population, an assessment in the last twelve months.

Mr. J. H. Lamont, M.P., had several interviews with Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann. It was the company's intention to cross the river here, and build through to Shellbrook. He saw no reason why Prince Albert should not be made a wholesale distributing centre. As a general rule he was not in favor of giving bonuses or corporations, but the sum asked was a very small one. He didn't like the agreement. He was like the railway bound to give a certain freight rate. He suggested other alterations to the contract, making it more effective from the city's standpoint.

Mr. Hall, president of the board of trade, thought the matter had been thoroughly discussed, and he then made the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Cook, which was carried unanimously:

That the mayor and council, Mr. Lamont, Hon. T. H. McGuire and the president of the board of trade, be a committee to revise the contract along the lines suggested by Mr. Lamont.

The petition for submission of by-law was then brought forward, and signed by almost everyone present.

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Tuesday—Sabbath in the New Testament.

Wednesday—When, How and by Whom was the Sabbath Changed?
Thursday—Sabbath Reform in Prophecy.

Friday—Seal of God.
Saturday—Mark of the Beast.
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Baron Kamura Invited to Come to the Dominion—Defence Measures for The Frontier

Ottawa, Aug. 14.—On behalf of the Government, Secretary of State Scott, it is stated has invited Baron Kamura to visit Canada. The baron replied that he would be delighted to come if his engagements permitted after the peace negotiations.

THE PURCHASE OF UNIFORMS

Editor Bulletin—August 15th, 1905.

Sir: My attention has been drawn to certain criticisms of the city council in connection with the purchase of uniforms for the fire department. The facts are as follows: The department applied for uniforms and I supported the application in council. The matter was then referred back to the department and to myself as chairman of the committee having charge of same. After some discussion with the executive committee of the department, it was decided to submit the following proposition to the council: Members to supply buttons and caps at their own expense and council to give each member after one year's service with the city, the sum of \$12.00 to be applied on or towards the purchase of a suitable uniform. I was then and there instructed to apply for this grant for for twenty-seven men of the brigade who were entitled to it by reason of their year's service. The question of having their uniforms in readiness for the inaugural celebration was brought up and having satisfied myself that the proposals of the department were acceptable to the great majority of the city council I took upon myself to advise the members of the department to order their uniforms. Not only have the twenty-seven members who are to receive the grant done so, but the balance of the department have placed their orders and the entire department will parade in full uniform on inauguration day. These uniforms will be paid for by the individual members of the department and I presume that their right to purchase where they please is not in question. If the council see fit to make the grant above referred to twenty-seven members will receive a rebate of \$12, the remaining thirteen having the privilege of paying for their own uniforms and of assisting the city to put on a certain amount of style at the big celebration. From the above it will be gathered that the city council had no part in the purchase of these uniforms and have not laid themselves open to the censure which has been so freely expressed.

Yours faithfully,

W. A. GRIESBACH,

Alderman

Chairman, Fire, Market and Civic Buildings Committee.

LOCAL

—There was one drunk in the police cells this morning.

—The Canadian yacht Temeraire, won the second race for the Canadian cup yesterday.

—The police have been docketed out with new caps. The chief looks a terror to evil doers in his new head gear.

—In another column of this issue, the inauguration committee request that parties having rooms to rent during the inauguration demonstration, will communicate with the secretary of the committee. The large crowds, it is expected, will tax the accommodation of the city.

—Mr. W. F. Puffer, of Lacombe, was nominated at the Liberal convention held at Lacombe on Saturday. Mr. Frank Taylor, of Buffalo Lake, who was for a time considered to be the Conservative candidate, has withdrawn, and no one has yet been named in his place.

—Five building permits were issued last week as follows: R. E. Dickinson, frame dwelling on Government street, \$1800; a stable at same place, \$200; R. J. Hodge, stable on line between Athabasca and Peace avenues, \$150; A. Linekron veranda on Eleventh street, 875; Mrs. Ratrak frame dwelling on Fourth street, \$1400.

—Part of the wire for the installation of the new are lights arrived yesterday and this morning two gangs are at work installing the lights. The balance of the wire is expected to be received by direct work. It is expected the lights will be in working order by the end of the month. Inspector Brown, of the Westinghouse Electric Company, of Winnipeg is expected to arrive in the city tonight. He will inspect the work of installation as it progresses.

—J. Morris, of Revillon Bros., today left at the Bulletin office a magnificent large "double rose" of the Prince Carmel variety. The bush on which this was grown, to match with a bush of the Harrison yellow variety, was planted in Mr.

Morris' garden last year and with no special protection, wintered well. The bushes have a goodly supply of buds and blossoms to serve to explode the theory that the climate is too rigorous for outdoor production of roses.

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Carleton Place—Very warm; all grain is ripening and stands now close to six feet high; all shot out, giving farmers every opportunity to harvest an abundant hay crop.

Didbury—Warm and dry; all grain reported to be much better than ever seen before; wheat and barley will be almost ready for harvesting in another week; hail storm a few miles west of this point, but very slight damage.

Olds—Fine and warm; crops in good condition; barley out in some places; no damage from any source.

Rowden—Warm and dry; crops advancing nicely; prospects good, no damage.

Amulet—Warm and dry; all crops well advanced; very good prospects, no damage.

Pennell—Fine; crops doing excellently, and barley will be ready to cut early next week; very little rain.

Red Deer—Favorable; all crops doing fine; no damage and prospects very good.

Blackfalds—Very warm; grain is ripening fast; some fall wheat will be cut this and following weeks.

Lacombe—Hot and dry; grain ripening fast; prospects very favorable; no further damage.

Ponoka—Very hot; crops doing well and the best known here; no damage.

Wetaskiwin—Very warm; crops looking fine and ripening rapidly; no damage from any cause, prospects very good.

Leone—Warm and calm; crops doing well; no damage and prospects very good.

Strathcona—Clear and hot; crops doing well and coming on fast; some already ripening and a small percentage of barley cut.

High River—Favorable, crops all in excellent condition, grain ripening rapidly; harvesting began yesterday; no rain during the week.

Nanton—Fine; all fall wheat nearly ripened; spring wheat turning, also oats; farmers started cutting; no damage.

Staveland—Very favorable; some fall wheat being cut now; no rain, other grains showing good results.

Carleton Place—Very hot; all grain ripening fast; wheat and barley already started; no rain and no damage from hail.

Leaving—Favorable; crops about 30 inches high; commencing cutting fall wheat; about six hours' rain, no damage.

Macleod—Fine; harvesting is now general; best weather and indications of good yield, but as yet have not been able to get any threshing report.

Tabor—Hot and dry; all grain ripening and being harvested; expect threshing to commence shortly.

Lethbridge—Hot and dry, and harvesting progressing favorably; prospects good.

Pincher—Clear and warm; wheat cutting commenced several days ago; good sample and yield; oats well headed and looking fine.

Cowley—Fine; harvesting commenced; prospects good, no damage.

Okotoks—Very warm; farmers have commenced cutting fall wheat and barley, and harvesting in full swing; heavy rain during week but no damage.

CREEKFORD

Star, Aug. 11.—Rev. Howard preached here on Sunday.

At Epworth League was organized here last week.

Mr. Yers returned home last week, after spending several months on the railway. His friends were very pleased to have him in their midst.

The farmers are busy with haying. Mrs. Wood is very ill with pleurisy. Mr. Andy Anderson gave a dance last week.

NORTHERN INDEPENDENCE

(Correspondence)

Weather showery.

Methodist services were held on August 13 by Rev. Swenerton. School began at Advance school district on Monday, August 14.

Mr. Wm. Dives has his oxen broken. They make a fine team.

Mrs. Elliott went to Edmonton recently.

Mr. Reid lost a valuable cow lately.

Mrs. Overton has returned from a visit with relatives near St. Albert.

Mr. Seeley has been incapable of working the past week on account of a cut on his finger received from his mower.

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THE NEWS IN BRIEF

A vein four feet wide, averaging 3,000 ounces of silver, has been struck on the Ottawa mine near Sloan City.

The New Orleans official report of the yellow fever situation is as follows: New cases, 60; total to date, 739; deaths 7, total deaths to date, 135.

A report has reached Winnipeg that the wheat crop of North Dakota has been destroyed by hail in the counties of Bottineau, McHenry, Rolette, Pierce and Benson. The loss is estimated at \$1,000,000.

The Allan liner Virginian broke all records by the St. Lawrence route, 5 days, 22 hours, and 25 minutes, allowing five hours added for the westward passage. She carried the largest quantity of mail to cross the Atlantic, all the Canadian and American, the latter missing the Majestic.

The London office of trade returns show that between December 31, 1904, and July 31, 1905, 57,249 persons of British origin emigrated to Canada, an increase of 10,000 over the number of British immigrants during the corresponding period of last year.

An Ottawa despatch says: The Government has decided to change the fiscal year to the end of March instead of June. This will permit parliament to meet earlier. It will be more satisfactory in the announcement of trade returns. Parliament is to be summoned in November.

The British consul at Riga, Russia, has requested the embassy at St. Petersburg, to take steps to protect British lives and property. The American consul at Riga has consulted the governor of Livonia on the situation. The governor said he had 5,000 infantry and 300 Cossacks, a sufficient number of troops to maintain order.

Mrs. Ryan, wife of Capt. Ryan, of North Sydney, N.S., the sailing schooner, Agnes G. Donahue, received word that satisfactory arrangements had been completed between the Canadian authorities and the Uruguayan government. Captain Ryan and schooner should have reached Montevideo on Saturday and by this time the captain is at liberty and his vessel released.

Fire has broken out in the low lying woods along the south bank of the Kootenay river three miles below Nelson, and for a stretch of four miles, the hillside is aflame, the many scattered ranches being in grave danger, especially where newly cleared. All the bridges are out on the wagon road. At Ymir, twelve miles south of Nelson, the whole of Jubilee mountain is on fire, the buildings of the Dundee mine have been destroyed, and the Ymir mine is cut off by the destruction of the wagon road. Some men are known to be on the mountain.

The names of the two new C. P. R. steamers which will be launched in October and November have been changed. It was announced upon the return of Mr. Flers, the manager of the steamship lines, that the liners would be the Empress of Austria and the Empress of Germany. Now it has been decided to call them the Empress of Britain and the Empress of Ireland. The change foreshadows the policy which will be followed in naming any future addition to the company's fleet. All passenger vessels will have a distinctive title as the name of some colony or dependency of the empire.

The C. P. R. agent's crop report continues very bright. In the Brandon section, extending from Winnipeg to the wheat city, the wheat is all turning golden, and cutting will begin about the 18th and 25th August. The district along the main line and north of Broadview does not seem to have suffered any damage, and all appearances indicate a large yield. Agents in the Moose Jaw section are all optimistic regarding the yield, and harvesting operations will begin about the same time as last year. Throughout southwestern Manitoba similar conditions prevail, although more rain than necessary has fallen, delaying the ripening of the crop. Barley cutting has already begun in some sections, and will soon be general.

U. S. Treasurer Shaw has under consideration a very momentous question, affecting traffic arrangements between Southern Alberta and Montana. It appears that traffic managers of the northern lines of railroad in the United States have turned their attention momentarily toward the immense wheat fields which are being opened up in Saskatchewan, Saskatchewan and Alberta, and they have asked the treasury department to help them to get a part of the transportation business that is bound to be developed rapidly in that part of Canada. The Great Northern road, especially, is looking toward the Canadian northwest, seeing possibilities of an immense traffic within the next few years. Two or three of the northern railways have joined in asking Secretary of the Treasury Shaw to establish, by executive order, not less than five or six sub-ports of entry on the northern border, nearly all of them on that part of the boundary between the eastern and western limits of Montana. This section of the international boundary is adjacent to one of the richest wheat regions in Canada, and the railroads are anxious to divert a large amount of the grain traffic from the Canadian Pacific road.

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LOCAL

—The Inverness club went south today.

—The Parke Ledger has entered the ranks of B.C. journalism.

—The steamer Alberta took a load of building materials to the Port today for Cushing Bros.

—Madam Bayly will be at the Windsor Hotel until Thursday evening and in Strathcona on Friday and Saturday.

—Grass apples are a fairly good crop this year in the orchard of the Minister of the Interior. One tree has some twenty or thirty samples of fruit on it. This tree has been demonstrating the growth of fruit in Alberta for a few years.

—Herald: Calgary will send a strong representation up to play the Edmonton polo team next month. The players will be captained by A. Home, who plays No. 4; J. Home, 3; Hooley, 2; Florence, 1. Cochrane is also sending up a quartette of polo men.

—Elaborate plans have been prepared for the decorative arch to be erected for the first of September. The decision to erect only one arch and make it a thing of beauty was a wise move. The decoration committee is determined to do the city proud in this particular.

—Herald: There will be a real lacrosse game in Calgary on Saturday, the 19th. The contestants are Calgary and Edmonton. This city has some real smart stick handlers and all they require is practice. Everybody that knows this game is cordially invited to practice on Monday night next.

—Sir Wm. Mulock sailed for New York on Saturday. He has been in Glasgow studying the municipal ownership problem, and particularly the municipal tramway system of that city. Sir William and Lady Mulock are expected to attend the Inaugural ceremonies in this city on September 1st.

—Mr. Dan. Brox, of Spruce Grove, is cutting his sixty acres of fall wheat this week. It is a magnificent crop, and no better evidence of the success of winter wheat in Alberta is required. It is no longer an experiment, but will in future be a staple and a profitable product of Northern Alberta farms.

—Mr. Thomas Daly of Clover Bar has an apple tree with thirty-two full sized apples on. This is pretty good evidence that fruit will grow and mature in Northern Alberta. The tree is a Dutchess of Oldenburg. This and several other similar varieties such as the Canada Red should do well in this country and in the not very distant future it is to be hoped that orchards will be as common as farm houses in the country.

—Mr. M. Sheddock, of Stony Plains, has considerable of his fall wheat in stock and it gives evidence of a splendid yield when threshed. Mr. Thomas Daly has his barley out. In fact the hum of the binder is a familiar sound in that district now and the splendid crops are filling the farmers' hearts with gladness, their bins with grain, and later their pockets with money.

—Strathcona Plumber: W. Clements & Son, general merchants at Vegreville was in Strathcona Wednesday. This is Mr. Clements' first visit in two years and he noticed a marked improvement in the appearance of the town. Vegreville merchants are getting ready to move to their new townsite on the C. N. R. line about three miles distant from their present camping ground. The site has not been surveyed into lots yet but will be very shortly. It is probable that the new town will have a new name. It is expected that the steel will reach in early September.

—Mr. C. C. Reid, of Ponoka, was in the city last evening. He reports an excellent crop in the vicinity of Ponoka, as is the case all over Alber-

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